the public. Mr. Murphy is charged with regigence in his auties as secretary of the board in not amounting broadcast that the examination is to be held.

they do not allow me the necessary funds for the purpose. It's a shame that this government should be forced through its representatives to appear so nigrardly in these small markers.

FORD GIVEN THREE YEARS.

He is Convicted of a Grave Offence-A

Horse Stolen.

The case of Samuel F. Ford, Jr., who

is charged with committing a criminal

assault upon the five year-old-daughter of a well-known citizen of the county,

was tried at the Henrico County Court-

e yesterday.

e trial was conducted behind closed

s, the public being excluded,

rd was given three years in the pen-

Thieves broke into the stable of Dr.

Thieves broke into the stable of Dr. G. K. Gilmer, on Marion Hill; just below Folton Monday night, and stole his horse. The animal is a sorrel horse, and was held in high value by the owner. The rase was reported to the county authorities, but as yet no arrests have been made. There is no cline to the culty.

Services at Trinity.

At Trinky church Sunday Rev. J. T. Mastin's discourse was directed mostly to Sunday-school work, taking for his text Matthew 18th chapter 13th and 14th

ingdom of heaven.

The preacher urged the early training f children at home, and the Church, he aid, must help to bring the children to hrist. It was more important now than

and the children would have to take our places in the next generation.

On next Thursday evening there will be a mass-meeting of the official bodies of all the Methodist churches of Richmond and Manchester at Trinity church to formulate a plan for holding a centennial meeting of Methodism in this city.

The first church was hall in the corner

The first church was built on the corner of Nineteenth and Franklin streets one

Transfers of Real Estate.

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Richmond: William Ferguson and wife to D. W. A., Mary S. and Virginia M. Frayser, 29 feet on south side Juckson treet, 8, 7-12 feet east of Price, \$1,420.

Edward H. Glimer and wife to Susan R. Gilmer and Lucha B. McNamara, Increst in 55 feet on east side Williamsburg avenue, and 32,2-3 feet on same, reserving vendor's lien for \$275,\$500.

Albert and Harriet Goode to James L. Bradley, interest in 99 feet on east side Twenty of the Name of the Street, \$250.

Mary Huskins' trustee to John Henderson, 22,1-2 feet on east side Hückory street, 22,2 feet north of Baker, \$75.

John Pitt and wife to James L. Bradley, interest in 19 feet on east side Twenty-fifth street, 66 feet south of M. and

Professor T. C. Johnston's Lecture

The Supreme Court.

Il and Cussen vs. Brandt & Dunlop,

The Lafavette Monument

Postmaster Knight has received a cir-mine letter from the Lafayette Monu-nent Commission, of which F. W. Peck, Commissioner-General to the Paris Ex-ossition, is the head. The postmasters re urged to assist in raising funds to unlid a monument to Lafayette in Paris o cost 150,000. The school children have dready raised \$0,000.

To Hold Protracted Services.

Rev. F. H. Martin, a most successful evangelist, will begin a protracted meeting at Pine-Street liaptist church, on the First Sunday in February.

A meeting of the congregation of the church will be held to-night in

History Committee to Meet.

The History Committee of the Grand Cump of Confederate Veterans has been called to meet at Dr. Hunter McGuire's

Southern Manufacturing Company.

The stockholders of the Southern Man-ufacturing Company met at the office of

It's Easy

work and neglect, but it's just about

mee to-night.
McGuire is the newly-appointed

the interest of the coming revival,

There is no clue to the guilty

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House is assuming some importance to the National Civil Service Commission. The present fireman at the last civil service examination failed to pass, and three other applicants, who did pass the examination, spon looking the ground over, declined to accept the position. At present the situation remains in statu quo, except that in the near future another examination will be along new lines, and no questions apperaising to chemical or scientific subjects will be asked. Mr. Frank Murphy, the secretary of the local board, has just received a communication from the national board, in which he is reprimanded for not making the subject of the approaching examination one of general conversation among YOUNG RAE IS

STILL IN ARMY.

Governor Thought He Was Discharged Long Ago.

HIS SISTER MADE AN APPEAL.

The Application Approved Before He Went to Cuba - Invitations to the Executive- Visitors at Capitol, Mr. Brent Out.

Private W. T. Rae, of the Pelersburg Company in the 4th Virginia Regiment, is wondering why he has not received his discharge and Gov. Tyler and others

are puzzled.

Sometime ago Mr. Rae's pretty young sister called on the Governor and asked him to use his influence to get her brother out of the army. She said his presence was needed at home to assist in settling up the estate of a deceased relative. Gov. Tyler took a lively interest in the case and made a favorable recommendation to Col. Taylor. Major Francis R. Lassiter also interested himself in getting Rae out of the army. Col. Taylor and capt. Jackson approved the application and it was forwarded to the War Department.

RAE NOW IN CUBA.

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All of this occurred while the 4th Regiment was at Savannah. Rae waited in vain for his discharge. Finally, he had to go with his command to Cuha. Gov. Tyler thought Rae was long ago at home. He was therefore surprised to receive a letter from Capt. Jackson suying the papers had not been received. The delay is the fault of the War Department. The Governor has forwarded Capt. Jackson's letter to Adjutant General Corbin. This is the only case of a Virginia soldier where there has been any delay in his discharge after the application had been endorsed by his Captain and Colonel. tain and Colonel.
MANY INVITATIONS.

The Governor has received an invitation attend the annual hanquet of the New to attend the annual panquet of the Newport News Democratic Club on the 28th
and also an invitation to the banquet of
the Americus Democratic Club at Newport News on January 20th. He has accepted the invitation to attend the banquet of the Democratic Association of
the District of Columbia to be given on
the 2nd of February.
State Senator J. L. Jeffries, of Culpeper,
and Dr. Samuel W. Hobson, of Newport News, were at the Capitol
Mr. Jeffries's visit had reference to the
school superintendency of Orange while
Dr. Holson called to press his claims for
the office of quarantine officer of Newport
News.

OTHER CAPITOL NOTES. Miss Mary E. Lawless has sent her brother, the Scoretary of the Commonwealth, a box of rare relies of the late war with Spain for the State Library.

Mr. Frank P. Brent, the Scoretary of the State Board of Education, was at his office, systemlay after averal weeks the ffice yesterday after sveral weeks

Scores of friends called to congratulate him and he held one continuous recep-

Under date of January 11th discharges were granted to Privates George A. La-throp, Jr., and Allen Y. Stokes from Company M. Fourth Virginia Regiment, and also to Jessey F. Pack. and also to Joseph F. Parks, Company A, Fourth Virginia.

FRANCIONE CASE CONTINUED.

Will Be Tried To-Day, Charged With

Mr. R. Francione, who conducts a naloon and restaurant at No. 305 cast. Broad street, was before the Police Court yesterday morning on the charge of running a nickle-in-the-slot machine. The case was continued until this morning for

witnesses.
The matter was thoroughly aired before Judge Witt some time and, and the decision reached that machines of this character were not licensed by the act of the last Legislature.

More than Iwenty property ewners, most of them represented by their agents, were before the Court charged with allowing cellar-caps in front of their property to be and remain in a dangerous condition.

All of the cases were dismissed on condition that the nusances be abated between now and Saturday. The police are reporting all such matters now very promptly, and Justice Crutchfield has announced that the ordinance on the subject must be obeyed.

Alex. Jones, colored, was accused of being drunk and disorderly, and was fined \$2.50 and costs.

John Lee was up on two charges. He was accused of being drunk and disorderly in the har of Joseph Lengani, and was sent to jail for six months. He was also accused of stealing a bocketbook from Lula Bennett, for which he was given aix months more. All of the cases were dismissed on co

he was given six months more.
W. H. Fox, who was Monday fined
\$10 for cursing abusing and beating his wife, Mrs. Beulah Fox, was released by

Justice John.

The Justice announced Monday that he would set the man free if his wife desired it. Mrs. Fox was on hand early yesterday morning, and as soon as the decket was concluded requested Justice John to fulfill his promise, which he did at once.

CUSTOM HOUSE MATTERS.

Dr. Dorset Applies to be Adjudged a Bankrupt-Other Notes.

Dr. Wm. E. Dorset, of Richmond, through his counsel, Messrs, Atkinson & Booker, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His habilities are about \$1,000 and his assets about \$400. Judge Waddill beard argument in the

Judge Waddill beard argument in the matter of the petition of Zora Hill, who prays that M. Levy, of Petersburg, be declared a bankrupt. Hon, W. P. McRae represented the petitioner and Mr. Richard B. Davis appeared for Levy. The Court entered an order requiring the creditors of the alleged bankrupt to appear in the District Court on January 20th and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner that Levy be adjudged a bankrupt should not be granted.

Deputy Marshal Benitt has arrested A.

Cowen, allas Whilam Smith, of New Point, Mathews county, for a violation of the postal laws.

Smith was taken to Hampton, and

Smith was taken to Hampton and lodged in juil there, and his case will be heard to-day. District Attorney Alkan will be present at the hearing and Marchal Treat will be there.

STREET CISTERNS TO FIGHT FIRE. Board of Fire Commissioners at Work

BASINS ON BROAD AND MAIN.

on a Plan.

Efficiency of the Department Would Thereby be Greatly Enhanced. Letters Written Asking Cor More Information.

The Board of Fire Commissioners is now engaged in obtaining information. which, if put to practical use will result in increasing the efficiency of the depart ment many-fold,

Letter requesting data on the subject have been written to Chief Hugh Bonner, of the New York Fore Department, and

The plan which they have in view is the establishment on Broad and Main streets of cisterns, probably four on each street; located on Broad between

Ninth and Fourteenth. OBJECT OF THE PLAN. ORJECT OF THE PLAN.

They will probably be about ten feet in diameter and will be placed at the street corners. The object of this plan is obvious. At present when a fire of any size breaks out and four or five engines are put to work, some of them are several blocks from the burning building and when the water reaches the nozales, after traversing probably 1,000 feet of hose, it is little more than spray, and has but little effect on the fire.

By the use of obsterns as many as four

By the use of disterns as many as four engines could be grouped together right at the fire, and water could be thrown with irresistable force, A fire anywhere between the streets

named above might at ony time break out and assume most disastrous propor-tions. The Fire Commissioners wish to

tions. The Fire Commissioners wish to provide against any such contingency.

COST NOT GHEAT.

This plan is already in effect in other cities, and could be carried out here without great cost. Captain John H. Frischkern, president of the Board of Fire Commissioners, in speaking of the matter last night, emphasized the great need of such citierus and pointed out. fore it reaches the nozzles.

CITY HALL COURTS.

verses. Then were they brought unto Him, little children, that He should put His hands on them and pray and the disciples rebuked them. But Jesus said, suffer little children and forbid them not to come unto me for of such is the kingdom of heaven." Many Marriage Licenses Issued-A Company Chartered.

In the Hustings Court yesterday li-censes were issued to the following

couples;

Richard L. Davis and Eugenie Noel;
Nelson Sale, of Bedford City, and Grace
D. Tunstall: Harry Abern and Henrietta
Baker; George B. Hutchings and Lelia
Carroll Bridges; Ernesi L. Thomas and
Corinne E. Crenshaw.

Suit was instituted in the Circuit Court by R. H. Bosher's Sons against J. P. Barney, for \$56.25.

Also by B. M. Davenport & Bro., ogainst George C. Agee for \$25.8.

The special jury in this court was discharged. The regular term begins February harged. The regular term begins Febru

cuit Court to the "Schmidt & Gill Co.," the organizers of which are Messrs Wm. C. Schmidt, D. R. Gill, E. G. Schmidt, T. E. Gill, and Carl Wipperman The company, which is to have a ninimum capital of \$5,000, which may be nereased to \$10,000, is formed for the urpose of manufacturing and dealing it cigars, candles, cakes, ice cream, all manner of confections; also to duct restaurants, furnish meals, &c.

The shares are to be \$25 each, and land not exceeding one acre may be held.
Mr. D. P. Gill is president, Mr. Wm. C. Schmidt, secretary and treasurer, and the directors are Messrs. D. P. and T. E. Gill, Wm. C. Schmidt, E. G. Schmidt, and

LEO WHEAT TO-MORROW.

A Most Delightful Musical Event at the Y. M. C. A.

To-morrow night at the Y. M. C. A. the leading musical and dramatic event of the season will occur. Mr. Leo Wheat the celebrated pianist, Miss Bettle Bur. well Booker, the talented young vocalist, and Miss Nancy Brooks, of England, an artiste of much merit, will present a programme calculated to afford the keenest enjoyment to lovers of music Professor Wheat in interpretation and execution is not surpassed by any living

execution is not surpassed by any planist. Recently, after a period o study, he has appeared before overwhelm ing houses in Washington and receives a most enthusiastic greeting. He will

naturally delightful, and which cultur

Miss Brooks will give a dramatic recital for the first time in this city. She possesses rare talent, and her conception of Shakespeare is most excellent.

Mr. Ernest Cosby, the well-known musician, will play the accompanition for Miss Booker and Miss Brooks.

DR. PHELP'S ADDRESS.

An Able Discourse Before the Academy Last Night.

Last Night.

The first paper of the year was read before the Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery last evening by Dr. A. M. Pheips, of New York city. He took for his subject "Lateral Curvature and Potts' Disease of the Spine," and treated it from all points of view—historic, causative, symptomatic, diagnostic and therapeutic. Not using a note, he nevertheless spoke fluently and lucidly, explaining his most interesting remarks by the generous employment of pathologic specimens and illustrations which he brought here from his home. His exposition of the subject was most admirable and left nothing to be desired.

Dr. Phelps is one of the most celebrated physicians in New York. He is a noted surgeon in diseases of children. The Academy passed a resolution offering him a vote of thanks for his address.

ing him a vote of thinnes of the dress.

Discussing the paper were Drs. Stuart McGuire. Ross and Hodges.

Dr. McGuire Newton was elected a fellow of the Academy.

A committee to revise discussions and reports of cases made at the meetings was appointed as follows: Drs. Mark W. Peyser, chairman; Lamdon B. Edwards and R. F. Williams.

Dr. Levy delivered his inaugural address, which was strikingly appropriate, and was received with generous applause.

SERENADER GOT SHOT.

A Bullet Fired by an Unknown Party

Hit Mr. John Welsh. Mr. John Welsh, who lives on Louisiana street, Fulton, went out serenading with three friends Monday night, and after they got through Mr. Welsh left for

will be present at the hearing and Marenal Treat will be there.

A number of young ladies who are
students at one of the schools in 4themond visited the custom house Monday afternoon.

They inspected the court rooms and
went out upon the top of the building
and viewed the city-and its surroundings.
The position of fireman of the Custom

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skin. The pistol was near enough to the man's leg to burn his trousers. Dr. George Barksdale attended him and removed the bullet, and Constable Angle is working on the case.

Thickly Settled District,

"Take that part of the city west of Belvidere and south of Main street, and you will find that it has almost doubled in population since the last census was taken. Within that district there are

taken. Within that are the garden spots of the city," said Collector Bethel yesterday,
"The vacant lots that stared people in the face several years ago are now covered with neat dwelling houses, all occurred.

"The churches are filled every Sunday to their capacities, and the Sunday-schools are largely attended."

Davis Children Reinterred.

The remains of the four infant children of President Jefferson Davis were dis-interred Monday and placed in graves in another section of the Davis circle in Hollywood. They were formerly in-terred side by side in the castern inner circle. They were reinterred in the outer eastern circle, one grave being made in each of the four plots.

The work was superintended by Mr. Hooper, the keeper of the cemetery, by direction of Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

P. B. Miller, colored, is under arrest at the Second Station where he was car-ried by Detectives Gibson and Wren on the charge of being a functive from justice from Henrico county.

He is alleged to have broken into the residence of a citizen of Henrico county on last Sunday, and will be turned over to the county officers this morning, after

having passed through the Police Court. Entertainment at Lee Camp Hall.

The Ladles' Auxiliaries of Divisions Nos. 25 and any Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers gave an entertainment at Lee Camp Hall last night.
On account of the inclement weather the attendance was not large. A very interesting programme of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc., was rendered and refreshments were served.

The Cenuine Horsford's Aoid Phosphate Always has the name "Horsford's" NEVER SOLD IN BULK.

THE BUDGET FOR

It Was Presented to the Committee on Finance.

WILL BE APPROVED NEXT MONTH

The Sunken Scow in the River-The James River Improvement Committee Orders Its Removal, The Cemetery Committee.

The Finance Committee held another

ession last night for the consideration

of the budget for 1899. Hefore going into secret session, however, several citizens Mr. A. B. Guigori appeared on benair of the Sheitering Arms and urged strongly that the appropriation for that institution be increased to \$500. Mr. Guigon pointed out in support of his request the increase of the needs of the hospital, owing to the enlargement of its sphere.

sphere.

He made a strong plea and received the careful attention of the committee.

BUDGET PRESENTED.

After others had been heard the finan-

ciers went into executive session, and the budget was presented by a sub-com-mittee consisting of Messrs. Hardwicke (chairman), Wallerstein (sub-chairman)

and Camp.
It is probable that the budget will be completed and go to the Common Council at its meeting the first Monday in

The Committee on James River Im provement met at the wharf of the city tug at noon yesterday. The object of the meeting was to take

some action regarding a scow loaded with 120 tons of coal, belonging to Peter Ha-gan & Co., of Philafelphia, which sank last July near Goode's rock, and has since been a menace to navigation.

There has been a most voluminous correspondence on the subject in an attempt to have the obstruction removed,

but without avail.
MUST BE REMOVED. The committee determined vesterday to take decided action and adopted a resolution to the effect that unless the owners of the scow make, between now owners of the scow make, over an and Saturday, January Stin, some arrangement satisfactory to the City Engineer, City Attorney and Harbormaster, the City Engineer will instruct the Harbormaster to have the obstruction rebormaster to have the obstruction removed at a cost not to exceed \$200 and charge the same to Peter Hagan & Co.

The Committee on Cemeteries met last night at 7:30 o'clock with a full attendance and was engaged for some time in the transaction of business connected with the departments under its charge.

The reports received showed everything to be in excellent order.

"THE DEVIL'S AUCTION."

Beautiful Scenery the Main Point in the Show This Season'

The principle attraction in "The Devif's Auction" this season is the scenery. There are, also, two or three speciality worthy of some mention, and the singing of Miss Phyllis Allen is really of the highest class.

highest class.

The production, itself, is along the same line that has amused the public for a number of years, and some of the ballet girls look very much like the same that tripped about the stage many

years ago.
Large audiences always greet "The
Large Auction" in Richmond, and last
night there was an overflowing one in
the dress circle, with a fair one in the
orchestra.

the dress circle, with a fair one in the orchestra.

The transformation scenes are beautiful and some of them remarkable.

A matince and the performance to-night will close the engagement.

When "Secret Service" was brought out at Garrick Theatre in New York one of the papers, of that town said, after reviewing the performance: "Secret Service will doubtless have a run." It did, and it was a long one. Since then it has had remarkable triumphs in London. Boston, San Francisco and in this and several other Southern cities. A welcome announcement, therefore, will be the news of a return engagement of this play on Thursday night at the Academy. A treat in connection with this announcement is the fact that the play is to be presented on this occasion by the splenment is the fact that the play is to be presented on this occasion by the splendid company which until recently has been supporting Mr. Gillette in New York, London, and other metropolitan centres. Mr. Gillette is now writing a new play, and his part is being played by Mr. Bryon Douglas, who acquitted himself so well in this great role in this city lost season. last season.

"The Bride-Elect," Sousa's new opera-to be seen in this city on next Monday and Tuesday, is unique in many re-spects, and nothing like it has been proluced by an American composer. It is duced by an American composer. It is true comic opera and has nothing in it to suggest buriesque or extravaganza. The music is written in a delightful vein and there is a dash and swing to it that is refreshing. His new morch "Unchain the Dogs of War" is a thrilling march that starts the feet a-going.

A Hit at the Bijon.

A Hit at the Bijon.

The Bijiu was comfortably filled last night and at the matince yesterday. The large audiences were much pleased with the excellent vaudeville entertainment and enjoyed the clever performance.

Master Duffy, the bright little boy with the excellent Duffy. Sawtelle and Duffy combination held his own against the rest of the remarkably good programme. Coilins and Brien in the singing dancing and arobatic work received much appliance, especially to Mr. Brien, who does an excellent bit of tumbling. The musical act of the Raymond trio gave entire satisfaction as did Miss Helen Byron and Tidney Grant and Norton.

There will be a performance to-night at the usual hour. To-morrow night's entertainment is for the benefit of the Virginia Hospital.

BETTER TIMES AT HAND.

People of Halifax More Prosperous Than for Several Years Past.

Former Senator Wm. I. Jordan, of Halifax, is at Ford's. He says the people of his county are in a more prosperous condition than they have experienced in a long while. Induced has soid fairly well and a very good crop was raised.

ly well and a very good crop was raised.

"Our people are very much interested in the contests over the county offices," he said. "The election does not take place until May but the candidates are already hustling. The most interesting fights are those over the clerkships of the County and Circuit Courts and the treasurship."

Friends of Hon. Paul C. Edmunds, who once represented Halifax in the Senate and afterwards the Sixth district in Congress, will restret to learn that his health is not good, but. Mr. Jordan says he is by no means an ill man.

State Senator Jeffries, of Culpeper, who is at Murphy's, will not be a candidate for re-election to the office of Commonwealth's attorney of his county.

Hon. Randolph Harrison, of Lynchburg, a former member of the House of Deicigates, was at Ford's yesterday. He was here looking after a case in the Court of Appeals.

Mr. H. M. Darnall, a well known citizens of Roanoke, is at Ford's.

PROFESSOR DABNEY'S LECTURE.

He Will Take as His Subject John Randolph of Ronnoke. Professor R. Heath Dabney, of the University of Virginia, will deliver the third and last of the lectures under the auspices of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, February eighteenth. The hour for the im-

LOSSES OF THE YEAR.

THE COMING YEAR Many Were Mysterious. - What the Principal Cause Has Been.



den and mysterious deaths during the past year has been appalling-we do not refer to those who fell in the war. Thousands of prominent men and omen have died suddealy or mysteriously.

Why? cates do not tell the reason, for too often the real cause is far back of what is given as the immediate cause of death.

cause of death.

Thousands are certified as having died of pneumonia. Now pneumonia is almost always the final symptom of kidney disease. The lungs have never been the color of the color

place, as heretofore, the Hall of the House of Delegates.

Professor Dabney's subect will be 'John Randolph, of Roanoke,' and avoiding the old and time worn track, he will seek to bring out new facts in connection with the potential personality in which every Virginian feels a spontaneous pride. The subject is one to which Prof. Dabney has given years of dilgent study and one, moreover, in which he feels an intense interest. His gifts as a smeaker have frequently been enjoyed by Richmond audiences, and the Association is much gratfied at his consent to lecture under its auspices.

The lectures are free to the public, and are the Association's formal expression of gratitude for its liberality on other occasions. It is the sincere hope of the Association that Professor Dabney may be greeted by a large audience, such as has welcomed the earlier lecturers of the A. P. V. A. course.

The New York's Likely to Practice in Richmond in March,

definite arrangements.

Mr. Day interviewed Mr. Murray McGuire, concerning the possibility of securing the Broad-Street grounds for the practice season, but as the Richmond Club will be using the park at the time that Mr. Day wanted it, he will portant business will be transacted.

probably not be able to secure that place. Mr. Day, also went out to the Main-Street Park, and was quite pleased with that place.

Street Park, and was quite in that place.

He will confer with others in New York and will make definite arrangements later, with a probability of coming here, on the way home from Charleston, where the team will begin training about the list of March.

Mr. Day will also go to Norfolk to took over the field there before deciding upon location. location.

While here he said to a Times reporter that New York hoped to be near the top next season and that while Mr. Freedman was anxious to infuse young blood into the team, he was of the opinion that the older players could do better and he would do all in his power to retain as many of them as possible.

BIG STABLE BURNED.

Mr. Andrew Scott's Dairy Farm Suffers Considerable Loss.

The stable on Mr Andrew Scott's dairy farm, near Hunslett's Station, on the Chesapeake and Onle road, in Henrico county, was destroyed by fire about mid-

county, was destroyed by night.

All the horses, cattle and farm implements were saved, but the loss is considerable.

It is not known how the fire originated, it had made considerable progress before it was discovered.

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disease. The lungs have never been known to clog up it the kidneys were in a healthful condition, because all the clogging matter which gets into the lungs would be thrown out of the system by another channel; viz., through the kidneys. You perhaps have never thought of this, but it is true.

Thousands of others are said to have deed of heart disease or heart failure. Why does the heart fail? Because it gets worn out in trying to pump the blood through the system, the work is too great. But why does the blood circulate so poorly? Because it is loaded with poisons, it is the duty of the kidneys to expel these poisons, but because they are so weakened they cannot expel them. Is this not clear? Is it not a simple reason? Unfortunately, it is true.

There has never been known but one discovery which acts directly upon the kidneys and which will keep them in perfect condition. That discovery known to chemists, scientists, physicians and the world generally is Warner's Safe Cure. And it is known to the world quite as generally as is Bright's disease, which it cures, It has special properties which have special effect upon the kidneys. It has proven this in numberless cases and it is just as effectual to-day as it has ever been in the past.

If the kidneys were healthy and strong, there would be comparatively little pneumonia or heart failure, but the kidneys, those quiet little organs at the lower portion of the body, like the heart, are working day and night and easily get out of order, and even when they rebel they do not make any demonstration over it. They seldom give pain; they work along and do the best they can. But they none the less undermine the life and cause disease and often death.

Look therefore, to your kidneys and guard them if you would guard your life. You can't afford to neglect these most important organs of the body. You ought to aid them, to assist them constantly. They are grateful for any help and they respond readily.

ture will be half past eight o'clock; the place, as heretofore, the Hall of the House of Delegates.

MAY TRAIN HERE.

Mr. John B. Day, manager of the New York Base-Ball Club, who spent yester-day in the city looking over the ground for the purpose of bringing the New York team here for about two weeks training the middle of March, left last night for New York without making any definite arrangements.

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